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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Raczek

Art Unit: 1761

Serial No.: 10/057,212

Examiner: C. D. Sayala

Filed: January 24, 2002

Confirmation No.: 1719

For: SORBIC ACID AS GROWTH-STABILIZING  
ADDITION TO FEEDSTUFFS FOR  
AGRICULTURAL LIVESTOCK REARING

**AMENDMENT SUBMITTED UNDER**  
**37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

Commissioner for Patents  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Charlotte, North Carolina  
August 12, 2005

Dear Sir:

In response to the Advisory Action dated August 1, 2005 associated with the Final Office Action dated February 17, 2005, please enter the following Amendment and accompanying Request for Continued Examination in the above-identified application. In addition, Applicants submit herewith (i) a Petition for 1-month Extension of Time and (ii) credit card form.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on Page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on Page 4 of this paper.